Death of Hon. M. R. H. Garnett.

[From the Richmond Whig of February 16.] We are grieved to announce the death of M. R. H. Garnett, Esq., member of the House of Representatives from the Essex District of Virginia. He breathed his last at his residence in Essex county, Saturday last after a brief illness of Typhoid fever. Mr. G. was one of the most valuable members of the House. Possessed of a clear and vigorous intellect, which had been improved by a thorough edecutation, and an enlarged course of reading and study, and practise I in the art and learning of statesmanship, tew men of his years have ever been better fitted for the weighty duties of legislation in a time so momentous as this, than was he. Mr. Garnett aspired to be and was more than a politicianstatesman. From his graduation at the University, with the highest honors, to the period of his unexpected and untimely death, he had devoted himself to those graver contemplations an I more solid studies, which, while they may not best qualify the public speaker for display on the hustings, or evoke the vociferations of popular assemblies, prepare the lawmaker to handle wisely and with advantage to the people, the great questions that involve a nation's well being. The death of any such man at this time is a public loss, but little short of a general calamity. Mr. Garnett's age was, we suppose, about forty-two. He had served, with distinction several terms in the Congress of the United States.

During the reception at the White House in Washington on Friday, Dr. Augusta, the negro surgeon for the District negro regiment, dressed in his major's uniform, and Assistant Surgeon Abbott (negro, of the same regiment,) paid their respects to President Lincoln, and were kindly received by him.

Harvey Thompson, a private of the 4th Pennsylvania cavalry, was arrested on Monday by the guard at the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad depot in Washington, for being drunk, representing himself to be a captain, and having in his possession a forged pass.

Mr. Samuel F. Briggs, the clerk to Paymaster Malone, and who was arrested upon suspicion of being concerned in taking \$70,000, has been released, there being no evidence against him. Major Malone and his son, a young man about 21 years of age, are in custody, and the affair is being inveseigated."

On Wednesday, two citizens of Virginia, residing within the Federal lines, were sent to Washington by the Provost Marshal General of the Army of the Potomac, charged with aiding and abetting the Confederates.

An official dispatch received in relation to the fight at Drainsville, states that the Federal loss in killed 10, wounded 7. The number taken prisoners has not been fully ascertained.

About five weeks ago, private D. O. Whitmer of the 1st Connecticut artillery deserted his regiment, came to Washington, purchased a Colonel's uniform, and took up his residence on Pennsylvania avenue, passed himself off as the Colonel of the regiment to which he belongs. Since his appearance in Washington, he has been living in fine style, and by his representations has succeeded in taking in several parties by obtaining loans of money, &c. He was arrested yesterday.

Lieut. Commander Dawson Phenix, U. S. Navy, died in Philadelphia on Saturday last. The deceased was a native of Baltimore, entered the service in September 1841, and received his last commission July 16, 1862.

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